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BABY CLINICS OVER CO. TO INSTRUCT MO- THER'S AS TO CARE

Medina is soon to be blessed with one of the most beneficial of institutions—baby clinics. This movement is being projected by Health Officer R. A. Brintnall and Miss Constance Hannah, Red Cross service nurse.

Baby clinics will be established at Medina, Wadsworth and Lodi. These will consist of headquarters in each of the above-mentioned towns where, on certain stated days mothers may bring their children for free examination and advice. Health standards will be taught and each one who attends will be given specific information touching upon the health of the child and the sanitary conditions in the home.

The various symptoms of child diseases will be explained; each mother will be told how to safeguard the child how to feed and clothe it, the possibilities of exercise and training, both physical and mental.

Instructions in the special preparation of babies' foods will be given.

Not alone for mothers will these clinics be conducted. The expectant mothers will form no small part of these clinics. Here they may learn how to keep their own health before and during the interesting period of childbirth. Prenatal care and influence will be principal features of the clinics. Each step in the forming of the child's life will be told, how to assure a healthy offspring and the manner of its upbringing from birth to full development. Feeding of the infant will especially stressed, how to treat its various moods, the periods in the child's career when the vital changes are made. How to carry a baby, how to nurse it, quantity of nourishment, hours for sleeping, the regulation of its bodily functions—these points, of which the average woman is woefully ignorant, will be made clear.

The exact date for opening these clinics has not yet been established but, when it is announced every woman should interest herself in this—probably the greatest health movement ever introduced into Medina county.

JULIUS E. MILLER DIES FRIDAY

Julius E. Miller, prominent Medina county man, died at his home on the Pike, Friday, June 25, aged 70 years, from rheumatism that had settled in his heart.

Mr. Miller was well known in Medina and vicinity, having spent his entire life in Montville twp., where he was born. Mr. Miller was united in marriage, June 24, 1886 to Miss Margaret Bachtel and one daughter, Lucille, was born to them. Besides the widow and daughter, he is survived by one brother, Wm. Miller of this city, and three sisters, Mrs. Etta Beedle of Medina, Mrs. Sarah Bixler of Ottawa, Kansas and Mrs. Jennie Paul of Cleveland.

The funeral services were held from his late residence, June 29 at 1:30 o'clock. Rev. W. H. Bryenton of the M. E. church officiating. Burial was made in Spring Grove Cemetery. Mr. Miller will be deeply mourned by his many friends.

TWO SPEAKERS AT KIWANIS LUNCHEON

Members of the Kiwanis Club were entertained by two able speakers at their luncheon last Friday. Mr. Jesse Warren, of the A. I. Root Co., spoke on his impressions gained from other cities and Miss Constance Hannah, Red Cross nurse who served overseas, spoke on her experience with the Lakeside Hospital Unit in France. It will be remembered that the Lakeside Unit was one of the first shipments of America's over-seas forces to go across.

Dr. R. A. Brintnall, County Health Officer won the attendance prize, an Eversharp pencil, presented by Clark W. Reinhardt.

The speaker this week will be F. R. Endley, an insurance man, of Mansfield, who is also candidate on the Republican ticket for State Senator from this district and an interesting talk is promised.

The attendance prize this week will be given by Dr. J. R. Gleason just what it will be no one seems to know.

INTERURBAN SYSTEM TO RUSH TRACK LAYING

The work of finishing the track on North Court street by the Cleveland Southwestern will be rushed to completion, despite the difficulties existing between the city and its contractor. The company has nearly finished laying its track. When this is done, the entire railway and ties will be raised to the proper level and treated to concrete base and filling. After that it will be up to the city to finish paving the roadway. A "Y" has been set in at the south side of the station.

WELL KNOWN MEDINA MAN PASSES AWAY

C. R. Clement, well known Medina man, passed to the Great Beyond, Saturday morning, June 26, at 2:07 a. m. in the Elyria hospital, at the age of seventy-seven years.

Mr. Clement had been in very poor health for the past six years, and had been confined to the house for the past six months. While in Medina he lived with his daughter, Mrs. Charles Barry on west Liberty street.

Mr. Clement was born in Strongsville, being the eldest child of a family of seven, two brothers and two sisters survive him. He was married in 1883 to Sophia Benjamin of Brunswick and it was on a farm near here that his family of seven children were born and raised.

Early in his life Mr. Clement united with the Baptist church of Royalton later transferring his name to the Methodist church at Brunswick. He attended both churches after taking up his residence in Medina, and was a faithful church goer all the time he was able.

After giving up his farm near Brunswick, his daughter, Mrs. Charles Barry came to Medina from Cleveland for the express purpose of providing a home for her father. Mrs. Barry is a twin sister of Dr. E. P. Clement of Elyria.

Mr. Clement became so low that he was removed to the Elyria hospital Tuesday, June 22, where he remained, growing weaker and weaker, until the end, which came in the presence of all his children. Private funeral services were held in Elyria at the Sudroe Chapel, only the immediate family attending. The body was brought to Brunswick for burial Monday. Services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. Bryenton of the Methodist Episcopal church and Rev. Kaufman of Elyria.

Mr. Clement leaves many relatives and a host of friends in Medina county to mourn their loss.

PYTHIAN SISTERS SUE FOR PROPERTY

On Tuesday the case of The Grand Temple of Pythian Sisters of Ohio, a corps, against The Sophia Huntington Parker Home, a corps, was assigned and heard on its merits, Judge W. J. Akern, of Akron presiding. It will be remembered by previous review that the Grand Temple, by this suit, are seeking to obtain an order of court to compel The Sophia Huntington Parker home to transfer, set over and convey to it the property previously conveyed to Sophia Huntington Parker deceased.

By arrangement of attorney's and with the consent of the Judge, the case was not argued orally, but will be submitted by brief.

MEDINA MAN DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Wade W. Brooks, 37 years old, a successful stock buyer of this city, died Thursday of last week of pulmonary hemorrhage, a tumor being contributory. Funeral services were held at Weymouth last Saturday, Rev. C. H. Seales officiating. Interment was in Spring Grove Cemetery beside the body of his brother Harry.

Mr. Brooks, who was born at Bennetts Corners in 1882, was the fourth son of Frank and Mary Brooks. He has lived in this vicinity about twenty years. For the past few years he has been living at the E. E. Smedley home.

Contracting ill health last fall, he was taken to Mt. Sinai Hospital, Cleveland, where he showed improvement for awhile, but a relapse came which ended in his death. One son of the family of six, Harry E. and Etta preceded him in death. The survivors are his parents and three brothers, Ora of Elyria, Forrest of Cleveland and Allison of Medina.

A genial good-hearted friend, Mr. Brooks will be sadly missed by all associated with him.

FORMER MEDINA BOY HONORED IN KANSAS

A clipping from a recent issue of the Pratt (Kans.) Republican announces an item of general interest to those in this community who were acquainted with Myron Crocker. It says:

At the commencement exercises of the College of Emporia this week the degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred on Rev. M. J. Crocker of this city. This is an honor only conferred upon ministers who have exhibited scholarly attainments coupled with conscientious and meritorious service.

The degree was conferred on Mr. Crocker without his knowledge. In fact he did not know that he had been given the degree until notified from The Republican office this afternoon. Coming to him in this unexpected way, the honor is much more to be appreciated.

Myron J. Crocker was a pupil in district 9 school at Poe, later becoming a teacher in Montville and adjoining townships.

His position of power and influence in one of the great churches of Kansas comes as the culmination of a long uphill trail, a position secured only by dint of hard work, scholarly attainments and his ability as a thinker and orator.

MRS. SAM'L. INGHAM GOES TO REWARD

Mrs. Samuel Ingham, well known Medina county lady, died at her home in Montville Friday, June 25, after a short illness. Mrs. Ingham was nearly 72 years of age and is survived by her husband, Sam Ingham, four children, Mrs. Orpha Kindig of Los Angeles, Cal., Mrs. Laura A. Wagar of this city, Oliver D. Ingham of Cleveland and Chas. S. Ingham of San Pedro Cal., two sisters Mrs. Florinda McConkey of Sharon Center and Miss Harriet Jones, of Akron and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Ingham was born at Spruce Run in Sharon Township and spent almost her entire life a resident of this county. She was a faithful member of the Methodist Episcopal church of this place for the past twenty-nine years and always took a lively interest in everything pertaining to the church of her choice. Her going will be mourned by a host of friends throughout the county who knew her.

Funeral services were held from the old home in Montville, at two o'clock Sunday. Rev. Bryenton officiating. The body was placed in the vault at Spring Grove Cemetery to await burial. Mrs. Eva Orton Palmer and Mrs. J. W. Rowles of Sharon Center, rendered very appropriate solos at the funeral.

GOOD BARN DANCES

Another successful barn dance was held at the Albert Snyder barn on the Lafayette road last Tuesday. The week before marked a heavy attendance, 82 couples being there. It is probable that a weekly dance will be held there every Tuesday evening.

BANNER MEETING HELD AT LODI

A banner meeting was held by the Harrisville group of the county Farm Bureau Federation in the Masonic Temple at Lodi, Tuesday night. Men from Homer, Spencer, Chatham and Harrisville townships attended in force. Several of the officials of the county organization were present and discussed different features of the county program. H. P. Miller of Columbus made the address of the evening instead of Murray D. Lincoln. He discussed the legislative program to be taken up in the next legislature by the State and National Federation of Farm Bureaus.

OIL WELLS IN MEDINA SHOW GOOD PRODUCTION

The central Ohio oil field, principal of which is in Medina county, is showing great activity. Recent developments show production on the increase. In Litchfield township, Medina county, the Ledina Oil Co.'s No. 6 H. B. Bradley farm, lot 14, pumped 8 bbls. at 275 feet. The Kirk Oil Co.'s No. 7, C. A. Dague farm, lot 1, pumped 55 bbls. at 305 feet, and Dempsey Bros.' No. 3, W. H. Scoville farm, lot 13, was dry at 310 feet.

In Harrisville township, Medina county, the Wiser Oil Co.'s No. 24, Jerry Dague farm, lot 37, pumped 20 bbls. Borden & Cole's No. 57, was dry while the Home Oil Co.'s No. 3 on a part of the same farm, in lot 47, pumped 5 bbls. Byer & Criswell's No. 4, A. D. Falconer farm, lot 36, pumped 20 bbls.

In Chatham township, Medina county, the Vale Oil Co.'s No. 18, A. G. Shapman farm, lot 7, pumped 20 bbls. Kershner & Sanderson's No. 2, Jennie Shank farm, lot 50 pumped 30 bbls. Lee A. Watson's No. 22, Watson farm, lot 3, pumped 150 bbls. J. H. Pittsford and others' No. 7, Isaac Meyers farm, lot 20 was dry as was the Ohio Fuel Supply Co.'s No. 2 on the M. Richards farm section 2, E. R. Edson & Son's No. 7, George Allis farm, lot 3, pumped 20 bbls.; No. 21, W. H. Ripley farm, lot 1, pumped 135 bbls.; No. 1, A. Packard farm, lot 6, pumped 20 bbls.; No. 3, L. and W. E. Allis farm, lot 55, was dry at 560 feet, and their No. 5, W. H. Wideman farm, lot 55, was dry at 530 feet.

In Spencer township, Medina county, W. White and others drilled a dry hole in a test on the Charlotte Martin farm lot 5.

WEDNESDAY RACES SUCCESS DESPITE HEAVY RAIN

The second of the Wednesday afternoon matinee races held at the Fair Grounds was pulled off on schedule time despite the heavy rainfall of the past week. The track was dried sufficiently to give two events. There are at present sixteen horses quartered at the fair grounds and some good races are promised every Wednesday. Following are the results: First event, being won by Huffman's G. C. W., Time 2:29 1-2, 2:27 3-4 and 2:26 1-2. McDowell's Foxy Mc coming in second in two heats. Spitzer's John third in two heats, and Prince Verton finishing fourth.

The second event was carried off by Jim C. (Crooks) winning the first two heats, Baylor's Daniel S., second. Time 2:36 1-2 and 2:36.

TO START WORK ON AMUSEMENT PROJECT

Stock salesmen for the Medina Amusement Company are now in the field disposing of stock in this project. It is the intention of the new organization to erect on the corner of N. Court and W. Friendship a huge amusement building wherein may be held dances, meetings and public functions.

Work on the building is expected to start this year but it is hardly likely that the enterprise will be completed before next spring.

ALL IN READINESS FOR BIGGEST CELEBRATION IN HISTORY

ORCHESTRA TO GIVE SECOND CONCERT

The second of the series of Sunday Concerts being given by the Medina Community Orchestra, will be presented Sunday afternoon at 4:30 on the east side of the public square directly across from the Court House, as before.

An offering is taken at these concerts to help defray the expenses of the orchestra and music. The building of a suitable platform for these entertainments is now being contemplated and the collection this Sunday will go toward that end. Considering that the success and continuance of these concerts depend almost entirely upon the appreciation of the public and the financial aid rendered, it behooves every listener to give as liberally as possible.

In addition to the orchestra, Mrs. P. C. Bigelow, soloist, will participate. As announced before the program and soloists will be changed for each concert, taking in as nearly as possible all the musical talent of Medina.

Following is the program as arranged for Sunday:

March—"Under the Banner of Victory".....Blon Overture.....Gruenwald "Mighty Lake a Rose".....Nevin "Legend of a Rose".....Reynard Solo—"Christ in Flanders"—Wade Stephens

Mrs. Bigelow and Orchestra.
Simple Aveu.....Thome Arbuthnot.....Davis Recessional.....DeKoven Overture Patriotic.....Boman Solo—"Battle Hymn of Republic".....Mrs. Bigelow (all join in chorus) Love's Sunlight.....Caldman Cornet Solo.....Mr. Hartman Solo Star Spangled Banner.....Key Mrs. Bigelow.
Stars and Stripes Forever.....Insa

ED LETERLY DIED LAST FRIDAY

Ed Leterly an old resident of Medina county died Friday, June 25th at 1:30 from lockjaw contracted the fore part of the week. He was 62 years of age.

Mr. Leterly lived on a farm on the State Road, west of Medina and had been planting potatoes. In some way he injured his hand on the planter. This injury became badly infected resulting in his death from lock jaw.

Funeral services were held from his home, burial was made in Spring Grove Cemetery with Rev. Kuehner of Valley City officiating. He is survived by his wife and five children, Gus Leterly and Mrs. Clyde Cole of Medina, Frank Leterly of Barborton, Mrs. Chas. Gross of Mallet Creek, Bertha Leterly who lives on the farm and five grandchildren.

Those from out of town who attended the funeral were: Mrs. Julia Miller, Mrs. Lydia Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Foltz and son, Will, Mr. and Mrs. Kersey Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Mr. Jacob Gayer and daughter and Mr. Ruff all of Akron, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Schell, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Spackman and children Mr. and Mrs. Selback and daughter, Mrs. Julia Schorndorfer, Mrs. Cora Gayer and Mr. and Mrs. Will Kearns and daughter, all of Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leterly and Mr. Frank Nugent of Barborton.

ANNUAL MEMORIAL HELD SUNDAY

The annual memorial services of the K. of P., the I. O. O. F., the Pythian Sisters and the Daughters of Regekah, was held on the public square Sunday.

Members of the organizations met at their lodge rooms at 1:30 and led by the band, formed a procession, marching around the square, instead of going to Spring Grove cemetery as had previously been planned. Except for this change, the program was carried out as announced in last week's paper, which consisted of invocation by Rev. R. K. Caulk, address by Judge Lewis B. Houck of the Court of Appeals, Mt. Vernon, selections by the band, reading of names of deceased members of the orders and solos by Mrs. P. C. Bigelow.

The committee on arrangements, who planned this memorial service are as follows: A. E. Young, C. V. Snahr, C. A. Gardner, B. Hendrickson, E. W. Wheeler and Harold West.

The day could not have been nicer as far as the weather was concerned and a large crowd were in attendance.

FIREMEN TO MEET

The Lorain County Volunteer Firemen's Association will hold its annual convention Wednesday, August 18 at Lorain. It will be attended by veteran firemen from Medina, Elyria, Huron, Oberlin, Chargin Falls and Cleveland.

Final preparations for the celebration of the Legion boys which will be held next Monday at Chippewa Lake Park, were completed at the smoker held last Friday evening at Odd Fellows hall. A good spread of eats preceded the regular business meeting.

The various committees were formally endorsed and instructed in their particular line of work. Several hundred pounds of confetti were sacked by the boys during their conference.

As before announced, the spectacular feature of the celebration will be the fireworks display in the evening; also, the seaplane flights will attract many interested in flying.

The affair is to be in the nature of a genuine old-fashioned picnic. Plenty of shade trees abound and beneath these one may enjoy his or her basket luncheon and the cool breezes from the lake.

Activity will start about ten o'clock when the band concert announces the opening of the day's festivities. From then on the park will be given over to thorough enjoyment. Every member of the Courtney Lawrence post will make it his especial duty to see that all have a good time.

Not the least interesting to both old and young will be the athletic events. Three good boxing bouts are carded and a series of races, jumping and other contests will materially enliven the occasion.

The beach presents excellent bathing facilities and boats may be had for rowing parties. There will be many concessions. Games of all kinds will be conducted for those who woo Fortune. Everyone who attends the celebration may be assured of courteous treatment and a full quota of enjoyment. A special police committee has been appointed to maintain order and look after the comfort of guests on that day.

Those seeking a day of complete relaxation, mixed with much of interest, will find it next Monday at Chippewa Lake Park.

FIRST GASOLINE CAR ON NORTHERN OHIO

Wednesday morning witnessed the first gasoline car to reach Medina over the Northern Ohio, carrying the Akron Traffic Club. They arrived in Medina about ten o'clock where a special car on the Cleveland Southwestern line took them to Chippewa Lake for an outing.

This car runs regularly between Akron and Copley and at the Kiwanis meeting and luncheon today the matter of having the company extend the cars trip regularly to Medina will be discussed. Every Kiwanian should be there as the securing of a schedule of that sort on the Northern Ohio would be of large value to Medina.

STATE ROAD BODY WILL GRANT AID TO MEDINA

The state highway commission has promised considerable financial help to the good roads development in Medina county, a promise secured by the county commissioners and the county engineer who met with them last week. Wayne and Ashland, representatives of which also met with the commission are now more hopeful of the future. The improvements to be pushed include three miles in Medina county, three miles in Wayne and four miles in Ashland. The state will order a survey and recommend a federal aid fund of approximately \$60,000.

There are nearly two miles south of Seville and two and one-half miles north of that village extending toward Medina which will be improved, the state having promised to pay half the cost of this feature. They will also assist in the same manner with work on the pike into this town. The remaining two miles will be widened and repaired, the state standing this expense. The state has appropriated \$36,200 for the south section and for the northern territory, \$45,800. It is very probable, however, that no work will be done this year, owing to the scarcity of material.

There remains about \$22,000 for this year's funds after deducting the \$15,000 expended on the Norwalk road west from Litchfield and the additional \$7,000 given to the Hinckley road project. This remainder has been given to the proposed improvement north-east of Weymouth. The commission gave \$2,000 last winter for the repair of the Medina-Weymouth road but has added \$1,000 to this providing Medina township supplies as much—\$3,000 in all for each party.

MEBBE SO!

Rumor has it that gambling is being carried on in Medina and that evidence is being gathered by an organization which will, later, lay before the authorities, the result of investigations not being, or soon to be carried on.

The authorities say they have no knowledge of any gambling being done here nor has any complaint been filed by parties or organizations.

However, it is said on good authority that the boys are not admitting but that the boys are not admitting any strangers to their games.